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The Honorable Glen Nenema
Chairman, Kalispel Business Council
Kalispel Tribe of Indians
P.O. Box 39
Usk, Washington 99180

Subject: Class I Re-designation of the Kalispel Indian Reservation

Dear Chairman Nenema:

Thank you for your recent letter and proposal to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to re-designate the lands within the exterior boundaries of the Kalispel Indian Reservation a Class I area under the Clean Air Act's Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) program.

Our office received your proposal on May 15, 2017, and we are currently in the process of reviewing your proposal to determine if it meets the applicable requirements established in 40 C.F.R. § 52.21.

Please feel free to contact me directly at 206-553-1563 with any questions or your staff may contact our Tribal Air Team Lead, Mehrdad Khatibi, at 206-553-1603 or at Khatibi.Mehrdad@epa.gov. Thank you again for your submission and we look forward to working with you throughout this process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tim Hamlin".

Timothy B. Hamlin
Director

cc: Mr. Deane Osterman
Executive Director
Kalispel Natural Resources Department